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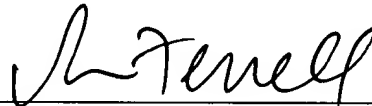
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	09/475,400	Rupp	Multi-Scale Programmable Array	December 30, 1999
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